

## BURGLARS DINE AT EASE WHILE FAMILY SLEEPS

Top Off Feast of Best in House of Capt. McAllister With Quiet Smoke.

### LEISURELY LOOT DESK.

Callers Take Day's Earnings of the Tugboat Mary Cox, but Leave Jewels.

Capt. Patrick McAllister, owner of the tugboat Mary Cox, entertained at his home, No. 236 Java street, Greenpoint, early to-day, but didn't know it until several hours later. His callers were very considerate of the hour and the fact that the members of the McAllister family were all asleep, and were careful not to awaken them. They ate the captain's cold chicken and Mrs. McAllister's famous jam, smoked the captain's cigars and helped themselves to a substantial dinner of the best in the house.

When Capt. McAllister's daughters, Mary and Rose, got downstairs about 7 o'clock they found the refrigerator wide open and the dining-room table strewn with cigar and cigarette stumps and empty soda bottles. In an adjoining room they found the captain's desk open and \$170 which he had put away last night was missing.

Overlooked the Jewels. The callers had let themselves in with false keys, and to judge by the mute evidences of their visit were not in the least hurried. They had opened the desk with a key and had ransacked it, stealing the papers it contained about the room and taking the money which the Mary Cox had earned yesterday for McAllister, who is one of the best known pilots in New York waters. But they overlooked a small box which contained jewels worth \$600.

The family had retired about 10 o'clock, and Capt. McAllister, who had been out on business, returned at 11 o'clock. From then until 7 o'clock this morning the lower part of the house was deserted. The intruders must have known the habits of the family, to judge by the fact that after robbing the desk they had dined leisurely and finished their meal with a smoke.

This is the third robbery in the Greenpoint section since the first of this month, and all the police are without the slightest clue to the identity of the burglars.

## LITTLE TAILOR A BUSY HERO AT TENEMENT FIRE

Emptied Two Houses, Carried Out Sick Woman and Prevented Explosion.

A gust of smoke and flame greeted Jacob Saltzman when he opened the door of his little tailoring shop on the ground floor of the five-story tenement at No. 567 Brook avenue about 7:30 this morning. Saltzman yelled and ran to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and turned in an alarm.

Then he aroused the tenants, who made for the fire-escapes and the roof. From the roof of No. 567 Saltzman crossed over to No. 559, next door, and ran down to the street, spreading the alarm through the house.

When he reached the ground floor, he found David Schwartz, a cobbler, imploring the panic-stricken tenants to help him with his wife, who was ill in the rear of his shop. The fire had eaten its way through the party-wall separating the two tenements and Schwartz's shoe-shop was all ablaze.

Saltzman dashed through the smoke and made his way to the bed where Mrs. Regina Schwartz has been confined for the past four months with rheumatism. He picked her up and carried her out into the street.

Then Saltzman remembered a two-gallon tank of gasoline in his shop, where garments were rapidly feeding the flames. He wrapped a piece of cloth around his mouth and nostrils and rushed into the blazing store. He caught up the tank of gasoline and reached the street with his coat afire and his hair singed. Then he collapsed.

Fire Chief Ahearn ordered the extension ladders up as soon as the apparatus reached the fire, but Saltzman's presence of mind had emptied the house.

SPECIAL TRAIN WRECKED. GOVERNOR'S FAMILY SAFE.

Memphis Express Derailed Near Chattanooga and Several Passengers Are Hurt.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 9.—South-bound Southern Railway train known as the Memphis Special was derailed last night fifteen miles east of Chattanooga. Several persons are reported injured, none seriously.

The baggage car jumped the rails and dragged the entire train off with the exception of the mail coach and the rear truck of the rear engine.

## "Japan Is Not Any More Just a Little Boy to Be Patted on the Head"

Tokusuke Sahara, Editor, Here for the First Time, Thinks War With United States Will Never Come.

BY NIXOLA GREELY-SMITH.



"Once upon a time there was a little boy toddling to his kindergarten. An old man met him and patted him on the head. 'Cute little fellow,' he said.

"Time went by. The little boy got a little older and went to the primary—what you call public school. 'Bright little chap,' remarked the old man admiringly. More time went by. The little boy had become a young man and his elderly patron saw him receive his college degree. 'Fine, promising young fellow,' said the old man.

"But the young man entered the same profession, and pretty soon his intelligence and modern methods began to crowd the old fellow. He was now too big to be patted on the head, and pretty soon the old man began to mutter that the young man was not acting properly, that he did no play fair, that he had the big head.

"That," said Mr. Tokusuke Sahara, "is the story of Japan and her critics."

His quick smile had the disarming deference of the East, but his eye held the triumph of the New Japan.

Mr. Tokusuke Sahara is the managing editor of the Shunghai Mercury and the Shanghai representative of six of the leading papers of Japan. He arrived in New York so recently that beyond deciding that our public is "very active," he has not gathered many impressions of us.

But his views on matters concerning his own country are most interesting and positive.

No War With United States. "I do not think there will ever be war between the United States and Japan," the young editor assured me. "Nobody thinks so. Why should there be? The criticism of my country is due, I think, to a resentment by some nations of the fact that Japan is not any more just a little boy to be patted on the head."

"I have read articles in the Outlook on the Japanese situation, calling for the open door in Manchuria, others saying that Japanese emigrants must never be permitted to come to the United States. That is not consistent. America is doing very good business in Manchuria. The United States sells all the railway supplies to Japan."

Mr. Sahara—"You spell it just like the desert," he had explained to me—paused for a moment and not entirely without difficulty I led him away from world politics to the topic of Oriental women.

"I have been in China for twelve years now," he said, "and in that time have seen my own country only on short visits. I think the Chinese women are more what you term advanced. The women of Japan are more retiring, more modest and domestic."

"The Chinese women make public addresses and talk politics. Maybe Japan will come to that in time, but not yet."

Books and Housewives. "For the last few years, however, women have been employed as telephone and telegraph operators and in post-offices in my country. But the tendency toward Western standards is not so marked among our women to-day as five or ten years ago."

"You see, some of the girls brought up according to Western ideas, to know everything of books and nothing about the house, have married. And according to our ideas they are not very successful wives. It is not good for a woman to read books all day and not know how to cook a meal for her husband. We believe in Japan that women

are for the home more than for public life."

"But," Mr. Sahara conceded politely to Western civilization, "it may be that our ideas will change. We have already more respect for women."

I suggested to Mr. Sahara that his sojourn in New York might have qualified him to draw some interesting conclusions about us.

"You seem to me to have a very active, up-to-date city, with all modern conveniences," Mr. Sahara answered, "many more conveniences than European cities. I have visited your museums and places of historical interest, and tonight I shall go for the first time to one of your theatres to see 'The Gamblers.' I am told that will give me a good idea of American life."

I could not draw Mr. Sahara out on the subject of our psychology. He is not one of those who believe there is a fixed gulf between Eastern and Western civilization.

"That is the Kipling idea," he said. "East is East and West is West, and never the two can meet." Many people believe it, but I do not. I cannot see much difference in the point of view of educated America and educated Japan. I do not see that there is so much difference between you and me, for instance."

"But between me and your sister, or your aunt, if you have one?"

"Not so much difference," Mr. Sahara persisted, smilingly.

And I don't know now whether the sister and aunt which I assumed for the Japanese editor are very modern little ladies of the East or whether this traveller from the Orient finds us less emancipated than we like to think we are.

DR. HALL'S TALKS ON TEETH.

Nature intended we should have 32 teeth which to indicate our food. If you have lost some or all of your teeth, by the latest and most modern dental science I am enabled to substitute artificial ones that give natural expression and restore the contour of the face by means of my "Hygienic Denture Plate." Price \$10, no higher. Made of best teeth, rubber, guaranteed to fit. We extract your teeth free, painlessly. You can go home at night with a plate that is artistic, hygienic and fits perfectly. Full sets of teeth, \$5. Gold or porcelain crowns, \$3 up. Gold filling \$1 up. Examinations free. DR. HALL, graduate Penn. Dental College, 19 E. 14th st. (near 5th ave.)

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## TWO HELD AS ROBBERS WHO BEAT COAL DEALER.

Men Arrested After Chase Identified by Victim as Armed Assaultants.

Two men, armed with revolvers, this morning beat and robbed Giuseppe Ruggero, who operates a coal cellar at No. 247 Second avenue. A number of citizens chased the two robbers and a few moments later Charles Marchio, nineteen years of age, of No. 49 East One Hundred and First street, and James Tuss, twenty-two years of age, of No. 194 Second avenue, were arrested at One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Second avenue and taken to the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street police station.

Ruggero followed the men and identified them as the persons who had assaulted and robbed him. He said that he was in his cellar when the two men entered, and, at the point of the pistol, demanded his money. Ruggero told them that he was a poor man and had but little money, which he needed to buy his day's coal supply. Then, he charged they beat him with their revolvers, and took from his pockets \$4.

The men denied the charge. They were taken to Police Headquarters for further examination.

Found Dead in Bed. William Barry, a porter, of No. 37 Third avenue, was found dead in bed today. He had been killed by gas which the police believe was accidentally turned on.

## Baldheaded Men Getting Scarce

Men of America Fast Learning that Baldness Is Unnecessary

Now that the wonderful hair nourisher, invigorator, grower and beautifier called Parisian Sage is on sale in every town of consequence in America, men are fast learning that baldness is a thing of the past.

It is a very easy matter to retain possession of their hair and incidentally their youthful appearance. Most skeptics will laugh at such a statement but did you ever know of a skeptic who had a bald head?

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Potatoes, Selected from the finest grown in Maine. .... 6 lbs. 10¢

Rice, Clean and Good 3 lbs. 14¢ Pure Lard, 2 lbs. 25¢, lb. 13¢

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Blue Ribbon Baking Powder 10¢ From pure grape cream of tartar, can, 35¢, 18¢ and

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Blue Ribbon Jam Choicest fresh fruit jams; large No. 1 glass jar. .... 15¢

Marmalade Blue Ribbon, choicest; large No. 1 glass jar. .... 15¢

Liberty Jams All kinds home-grown fruits; large No. 1 glass jar. .... 10¢

Liberty Preserves Home made from ripe fruits, in large stone crocks, each. .... 29¢

Apple Butter Williams' Highland Brand, in large glass jars, each. .... 10¢

Navel Oranges Fancy new fruit from California; dozen. .... 25¢

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